

# Permaculture Classes & Courses in the Northeast - 2007

## Permaculture Design Courses

Sirius Ecovillage - Shutesbury, MA  
Dave Jacke and Jono Neiger are offering a 3-week course with both classroom and hands-on training for the Connecticut River Valley Bioregion.  
*July 20-August 10, 2007*  
[www.LivingRoutes.org](http://www.LivingRoutes.org) (413) 259-0025

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### Headwaters of the Delaware River

Hancock Permaculture Center  
Modular design course held first weekend of the month for five months.  
Andrew Leslie Philips and guests.  
*August-December, 2007*  
Contact 917-771-9382,  
[www.hancockpermaculture.org](http://www.hancockpermaculture.org)

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### Ithaca, NY

Ongoing courses available through the Finger Lakes Permaculture Institute. Karryn Olson Ramanujan, Steve Gabriel, and guests.  
Fundamentals of PC: *May 12 - 13, 26 - 27*  
Summer Intensive PDC: *August 4 - 19*  
Contact FLPCI for more information.  
[www.flpci.org](http://www.flpci.org)  
(607) 319-0737 or (607) 227-0316

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### Advanced Design Course

John Todd - Dave Jacke -  
Jono Neiger - Darren Doherty  
Eco-Machines, Edible Forest Gardens, Earthworks, Waterworks, and and Keyline Design  
Cayuga Nature Center, *June 2-3; 13-23, 2007*  
[www.flpci.org](http://www.flpci.org) (607) 319-0737

Hudson River Valley  
Camp Epworth, High Falls, NY.  
Geoff Lawton, Ethan Roland and friends.  
Learn from one of the most distinguished and dynamic teachers in the Permaculture field.  
*April 30-May 12, 2007.* Contact: Joan Ewing at [mamajoane@yahoo.com](mailto:mamajoane@yahoo.com), (845) 687-7646.  
[www.green-phoenix.org](http://www.green-phoenix.org)

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### Fall Series Design Course

Camp Epworth, High Falls, NY.  
For farmers, gardeners, and working people!  
Ethan Roland and teachers from around the Northeast. One weekend a month  
*October 2007-March 2008.*  
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### Urban Design Course

The Open Center, New York City  
Claudia Joseph and friends explore the Urban side of permaculture in this FIRST EVER design certification course in NYC.  
*Nine Saturdays July - November 2007*  
[www.opencenter.org](http://www.opencenter.org)

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### Yestermorrow - Warren, VT

Andrew Faust along with Keith Morris are offering an indepth 2-week course for this bioregion.  
*April 29-May 11, 2007*  
Call (888)496-5541 or visit [www.yestermorrow.org](http://www.yestermorrow.org)

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Green Mountain Monastery - Greensboro, VT  
Charles and Julia Yelton share their international experience in regular and advanced Design Courses  
*June 22 - July 7, July 8 - 14, 2007*  
(802) 533 7056  
[greenmountainmonastery@together.net](mailto:greenmountainmonastery@together.net)

Teal Farm, Huntington, Vermont  
Develop intentional ecologies.  
Design for climate change. Chris Shanks, Michael Blazewicz, Ben Falk, and guests.  
*June 2 -14, 2007*  
[michael@wholesystemsdesign.com](mailto:michael@wholesystemsdesign.com)

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### UNH - Durham, NH

Charles and Julia Yelton are offering a 2-week intensive design certification course with both classroom and hands-on experiences.  
*May 27-June 11, 2006*  
Contact [jahnay.pickett@unh.edu](mailto:jahnay.pickett@unh.edu)

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## Short Courses

Workshops at D Acres  
Organic Farm and Educational Homestead  
Dorchester, NH  
[www.dacres.org](http://www.dacres.org), [dacres@cyberportal.net](mailto:dacres@cyberportal.net)

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### Edible Forest Gardens

Yestermorrow Design Build School, Warren VT  
In-depth introduction to forest gardens with Keith Morris and Jonathan Bates  
*June 30-July 1 2007.* Call 888-496-5541 or visit [www.yestermorrow.org](http://www.yestermorrow.org)

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### Hands-on Workshops, Kerhonkson, NY

Ethan Zickler, Eden Design  
Mushroom Log Cultivation, Forest Garden Design & Install, Honey Bees Hive Set-up, Herb Spiral, Contour Garden Beds, Cob, Cordwood, Stonework  
*March-June 2007*  
Call 845-626-4296 for more info!

# Permaculture Design is Regenerative Design

We must go beyond 'sustainability'! If we simply sustain what we have now (Climate Change — Peak Oil — Mass Extinction — Deforestation — Overpopulation — Soil Degradation), we're still in a lot of trouble. Permaculture design works to re-potentiate the earth, healing the damage we've done and creating super-productive self-supporting naturally-integrated human ecosystems.

Sound like fun? Come to a Permaculture Design Course or look online for more info!

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## Summer Gathering July 6-8, Cayuga Nature Center, Ithaca, NY

Join Permaculture designers, teachers, students, and farmers from around the Northeast for our annual Summer Gathering. Practitioners from across the region will gather to share stories, cross-pollinate ideas, and PARTY!!!

Introductory workshops, discussion groups, and advanced designers' circles will be interspersed with delicious local food, music, and hands-on activities. Connect with regeneratively-minded folks from your own bioregion to promote the design and creation of permaculture systems throught the Northeast!

Contact the Finger Lakes Permaculture Institute for more info:

[www.flpci.org](http://www.flpci.org) (607) 319-0737

## Learn more about Permaculture online

[www.northeasternpermaculture.wikispaces.com](http://www.northeasternpermaculture.wikispaces.com)

[www.greenmountainpermaculture.com](http://www.greenmountainpermaculture.com)

[www.green-phoenix.org](http://www.green-phoenix.org)

[www.edibleforestgardens.com](http://www.edibleforestgardens.com)

[www.flpci.org](http://www.flpci.org)

[www.dacres.org](http://www.dacres.org)

[www.permaculture.net](http://www.permaculture.net)

[www.permacultureactivist.net](http://www.permacultureactivist.net)

[www.permaculture.org](http://www.permaculture.org)

## Northeastern Permaculture Listservs!

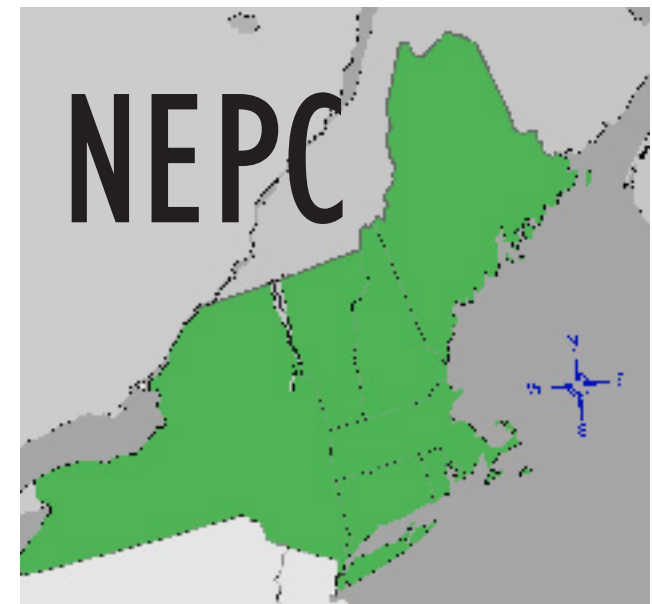
- The NE Permaculture Listserve: <http://lists.riseup.net/www/arc/northeasternpermaculture>
- Finger Lakes Region: <http://lists.mutualaid.org/mailman/listinfo/fingerlakespermaculture>
- The Hudson Valley Permaculture Listserve: <http://lists.riseup.net/www/info/permaculturehudsonvalley>
- Green Phoenix Permaculture Listserve (NYC): <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/greenphoenixpermaculture/>
- Western Massachusetts Permaculture Guild: <http://lists.thepine.org/mailman/listinfo/westernmapermacultureguild>

## Permaculture Wiki

Open-source community forum for  
Northeastern Permaculture.

Contribute to our  
bioregional knowledge base.

[www.northeasternpermaculture.wikispaces.com](http://www.northeasternpermaculture.wikispaces.com)



## Northeastern Permaculture

Permaculture is a design system for ecological living that integrates plants, animals, buildings, people, and communities for beneficial and beautiful environments.

Compared to current orthodoxies that value consumptive growth, homogeneity, and waste, Permaculture is premised on the scientific observation that nature is most productive when most dynamic. From this simple observation, Permaculture has proven that the human-engineered environment can successfully preserve nature's productivity by mimicking its self-maintaining practices.